

SLR:dm 08/23/06 566801 1-036-04
PATENT

10/590844
IAP12 Rec'd PCT/PTO 24 AUG 2006
Express Mail No. EV668295110US
Date of Deposit: August 24, 2006
Attorney Reference Number 6395-68026-07
Application Number _____

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hodge et al.

Application No. _____

Filed: Herewith

Confirmation No. _____

For: RAB9A, RAB11A, AND MODULATORS
THEREOF RELATED TO INFECTIOUS
DISEASE

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Art Unit: Not yet assigned

Attorney Reference No. 6395-68026-07

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to calculating the fees and examination of the above-identified patent application,
please amend the application as follows to comply with national stage requirements.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 11.

An **Abstract** is attached as a separate page the end of this document.